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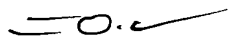
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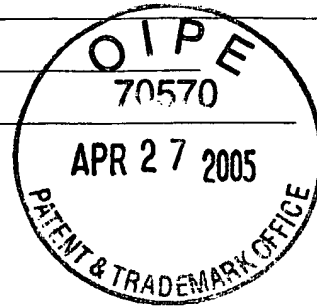
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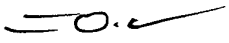
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Sir:


A telephonic interview was held on December 21, 2004, between the undersigned and Examiner Cassandra Davis. Prior to the interview, the undersigned e-mailed the following proposed amendment of the single pending claim (claim 13) to Examiner Davis:

a mounting system for mounting the display system on the roof of the automobile, the display system comprising a pair of suction cups, each suction cup having a force cup separate from and opposite a blind bore having a closed end separating the force cup from the blind bore and an opposite open end and including a suction cup thread structure, with the suction cup thread structure being threadably mountable [[mounted]] to one of the thread structures of the vertical frame members.

In the interview, the proposed amendment was discussed and the undersigned agreed to amendment of claim 13 to that as set forth in the Notice of Allowance mailed January 14, 2005. This involved changing "mountable" back to "mounted." A Notice of Allowance resulted.

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